

Amendments to the Claims:

The listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1-16. (cancelled)

17. (new) A child seat for a vehicle seat having a three-point seat belt with a tightening device, the child seat comprising a belt system for securing a child sitting on the child seat, wherein the three-point seat belt is coupled to the belt system.

18. (new) The child seat as claimed in claim 17, further comprising a coupling element which is connected to the belt system, wherein a tightening of the three-point seat belt activates the coupling element, causing a tightening of the belt system.

19. (new) The child seat as claimed in claim 18, wherein the coupling element is a belt strap, a first free end of the belt strap being connected to the three-point seat belt, and a second free end of the belt strap being connected to the belt system.

20. (new) The child seat as claimed in claim 19, further comprising upper and lower belt deflections, wherein the three-point seat belt is guided about the upper and lower belt deflections, the lower belt deflection being activated when the three-point seat belt is tightened.

21. (new) The child seat as claimed in claim 20, further comprising a lower transverse strut, wherein the lower belt deflection is designed as a clip which is mounted on the lower transverse strut.

22. (new) The child seat as claimed in claim 20, wherein the upper belt deflection is designed as an upper transverse strut.

23. (new) The child seat as claimed in claim 22, further comprising two side cheeks, wherein the upper transverse strut is connected to the lower transverse strut by the two side cheeks.

24. (new) The child seat as claimed in claim 23, wherein the first end of the belt strap is fastened to the clip.

25. (new) The child seat as claimed in claim 24, further comprising a back rest, wherein the belt system comprises a harness belt having a Y-distributor provided in the back rest.

26. (new) The child seat as claimed in claim 25, wherein the second end of the belt strap is fastened to the Y-distributor.

27. (new) The child seat as claimed in claim 26, wherein the belt strap is guided via deflecting bars.

28. (new) The child seat as claimed in claim 27, wherein the belt strap is guided via a tensioning pulley which is held displaceably in a linear guide.

29. (new) The child seat as claimed in claim 28, wherein the tensioning pulley is connected to a latching device of the belt system via a second belt strap.

30. (new) The child seat as claimed in claim 29, further comprising a force-limiting system for limiting a belt force.

31. (new) The child seat as claimed in claim 30, wherein the force-limiting threshold for the belt force is dependent on the belt length or belt position set.

32. (new) The child seat as claimed in claim 31, wherein a fastening system is provided with which the child seat is fastened to the supporting structure of the vehicle.

33. (new) The child seat as claimed in claim 17, further comprising upper and lower belt deflections, wherein the three-point seat belt is guided about the upper and lower belt deflections, the lower belt deflection being activated when the three-point seat belt is tightened.

34. (new) The child seat as claimed in claim 17, further comprising a lower transverse strut, wherein the lower belt deflection is designed as a clip which is mounted on the lower transverse strut.

35. (new) The child seat as claimed in claim 17, wherein the upper belt deflection is designed as an upper transverse strut.

36. (new) The child seat as claimed in claim 18, further comprising two side cheeks, wherein the upper transverse strut is connected to the lower transverse strut by the two side cheeks.

37. (new) The child seat as claimed in claim 17, wherein the first end of the belt strap is fastened to the clip.

38. (new) The child seat as claimed in claim 17, further comprising a back rest, wherein the belt system comprises a harness belt having a Y-distributor provided in the back rest.

39. (new) The child seat as claimed in claim 22, wherein the second end of the belt strap is fastened to the Y-distributor.

40. (new) The child seat as claimed in claim 23, wherein the belt strap is guided via deflecting bars.

41. (new) The child seat as claimed in claim 24, wherein the belt strap is guided via a tensioning pulley which is held displaceably in a linear guide.

42. (new) The child seat as claimed in claim 25, wherein the tensioning pulley is connected to a latching device of the belt system via a second belt strap.

43. (new) The child seat as claimed in claim 17, further comprising a force-limiting system for limiting a belt force.

44. (new) The child seat as claimed in claim 27, wherein the force-limiting threshold for the belt force is dependent on the belt length or belt position set.

45. (new) The child seat as claimed in claim 17, wherein a fastening system is provided with which the child seat is fastened to the supporting structure of the vehicle.